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## **RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Applicants respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows.

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend Page 2, line 7 to read as follows:

The present invention relates to the field of computer systems, and, in particular, the field of providing an improved interface between computer components. This continuing prosecution application is a continuation under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d) of prior application no. 09/428,134 filed on 10/26/1999, entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR AN IMPROVED INTERFACE BETWEEN COMPUTER COMPONENTS, which is a continuation in part of application no.

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